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Appendix IV

No. 130th CIC lgt Informant file on Informant T-3525 was received and the following information extracted concerning the subject.

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Residences:

Rue du Grand Ch. 62, Antwerp
Frans Jooof Str 29, Salzburg 1947
Glockengasse Nr 12, Salzburg 1948
Mannspargasse 33, Salzburg

Hobbies

Walking -- reading -- Russian words at American Service

Born

20 April 1929, Antwerp, Belgium

Intelligence activities

Salzburg 1943 -- in contact with S/A Ross
Alleged intelligence operative for the Germans

Targets in connection with CIC

Targets are Russian elements in AF sector in Salzburg area, especially pro-Soviet personalities. All persons engaged in any anti-American activities. Gives reports verbally in answer to specific ERI's, often voluntary information in the form of leads.

Contact details

Informant is now at Belgian Refugee Office and is contacted by telephone.

General

Sometimes in February 1952, S/A Maxwell was introduced to the Subject by S/A John V. LePrieux at the Salzburg CIC office. At that time they were carrying out an investigation of the activities of a suspected German agent. Maxwell regarded as significant that both Subject and his companion, Father Bernard (Jesuit priest from Munich, English speaking) were reluctant to offer any information re the matter in which the two S/A's were interested. The two priests answered only direct questions and nothing more.

Two days later Subject and Maxwell were notified by the Commanding

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Officer of Sub Det A that the Subject and Henrich had been interviewed by their alleged contact agent (working for another American intelligence agency) to cooperate more fully with Sub Det A. Subsequently, Henrich was asked by personnel of his office to advise the Subject as an informant.

Motivation and Evaluation

Subject is an invaluable source of information re Russian IP affairs, particularly as they pertain to Communist and anti-Communist personalities and organizations. He has the confidence of the entire anti-Communist Russian IP element and has given Agent Maxwell such information re Communist activities and pro-Communist activities in Salzburg. Subject believed he is an RIG target after receiving threatening mail addressed from the Hotel Imperial in Vienna. He is in no way hesitant about discussing pro-Communist personalities claiming he is working for the same cause as the West, i.e., the defeat of the Soviet Russian regime and his source of information are unlimited.

S/A Maxwell is handling this agent.

There is close influence of connection between Subject and TIS and the latter organization.